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PRESS RELEASE

### **Sperry Credit Union Awards Scholarships to Members**

Garden City, NY – Sperry Federal Credit Union has awarded college scholarships to three high school seniors to help finance their college education. The students, members of Sperry, were chosen based on their outstanding academic and extracurricular achievements.

“We are very pleased to award these scholarships to our hard-working young members,” said John Kumpel, Board Chairman. “It proves that the ‘people helping people’ philosophy of the credit union movement is alive and well here in Nassau County.

The high school seniors who received Sperry awards were: Marissa Rupp, Thomas Cunningham and Victoria Noelle Sakal. Marissa Rupp also received an award from the Credit Union Association of New York. Marissa competed against more than 1,500 credit union members from across the state.

#### **About Sperry Credit Union**

Serving Long Islanders since 1936, Sperry Credit Union is committed to providing exceptional service and value to their membership. The credit union has been recognized for providing value to its members with a 12<sup>th</sup> place ranking in their asset class among credit unions nationwide and the highest ranking among all New York-based credit unions.\* Long Islanders also acknowledged Sperry by voting them “Best of LI Financial Institution” for the past three years.

The credit union's efforts have been rewarded with high member loyalty and a strong reputation – with membership surpassing 19,000. As a not-for-profit financial institution Sperry is open to the public and serves individuals, businesses and legal entities. Sperry offers diverse checking options, competitive savings and loan products, along with a suite of products designed to help small businesses. Sperry engages in civic involvement and philanthropic support within the community and is a founding member of KIOLI.org (Keep It On Long Island). For more information or to become a member visit their website at [www.sperryfcu.org](http://www.sperryfcu.org).

\* Callahan & Associates Return of Member report as of 3/31/10; Asset Class \$250 - \$500 million.